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Applicants: Tobias Hollerer, *et al.*

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Serial No: 09/329,140

Art Unit: 2173

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Title: **METHODS, APPARATUS, AND DATA STRUCTURES FOR PROVIDING A USER INTERFACE, WHICH FACILITATES DECISION MAKING**

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A hearing has been set and confirmed for the subject case (Appeal No. 2004-1755) on Thursday, February 24, 2005. Appellant hereby respectfully requests to present arguments *via* telephone in accordance with MPEP § 1209.

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37 CFR § 1.136(a) does not apply.

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